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		Application Number	10/555,445	
		Filing Date	November 3, 2005	
		First Named Inventor	LEE, Deug Hee	
		Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned	
☐ Applicant claims small entity	status. See 37 CFR 1.27	Art Unit	Not Yet Assigned	
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$)300.00	Attorney Docket No.	9988.244.00	

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Application Type	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)		Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100		
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65		
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80		
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300		<del></del>
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2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES Fee Description	•						Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent  Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent  Multiple dependent claims  360  180								
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE  If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41 (a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).  Total Sheets  Extra Sheets  Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof  - 100 = / 50 = (round up to a whole number) x = =								
4. OTHER FEE(S) Other: Surcharge \$130.00								
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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.136. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 30 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. **SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.** If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2. DC:50466222.1

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Application No.: 10/555,445

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THEREOF Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification Of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed <u>January 12, 2007</u>, Applicants respectfully submits:

- Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The
   United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US);
- Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Assignment Cover Sheet
- Assignment

U.S. Application No.: 10/555,445 Attorney Docket No.: 9988.244.00

Response dated March 12, 2007 '

Response to Notice of Missing Requirements dated January 12, 2007

Claim for Priority

Payment for Large Entity, Surcharge and Assignment; Check in the amount

of \$300.00.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for

examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office,

then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37

C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time, or any other fees required to complete the

filing of this response, may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0911. Please credit any

overpayment to deposit Account No. 50-0911. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: March 12, 2007

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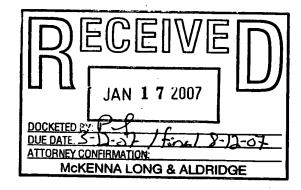
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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 11/03/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 11/03/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 11/03/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 11/03/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 11/03/2005
- Specification filed on 11/03/2005
- Claims filed on 11/03/2005
- Abstracts filed on 11/03/2005
- Drawings filed on 11/03/2005



The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

## • \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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